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TO AMEMBASSY BANGKOK

AMEMBASSY CANBERRA

AMEMBASSY JAKARTA

AMEMBASSY KUALA LUMPUR

AMEMBASSY MANILA

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SUBJECT: TRAVEL OF DAVID I. HITCHCOCK

CU/EA OFFICE DIRECTOR DAVID HITCHCOCK WILL BE VISITING  
ADDRESSEE POSTS ACCORDING TO ITINERARY LISTED BELOW.

PURPOSE OF TRIP IS CONSULTATION WITH EMBASSY OFFICERS,  
BINATIONAL COMMISSION/FOUNDATION MEMBERS AND STAFF AND  
HOST COUNTRY OFFICIALS AND LEADERS INVOLVED IN EDUCA-  
TIONAL AND CULTURAL EXCHANGE WITH THE UNITED STATES.  
HITCHCOCK WILL BE PARTICIPATING IN PENANG CAO-COMMISSION  
CONFERENCE. SINCE THE CONFERENCE WILL PROVIDE OPPORTUNI-  
TY FOR EMBASSY AND COMMISSION REPRESENTATIVES TO BECOME  
BETTER ACQUAINTED WITH CURRENT CU DEVELOPMENTS AND  
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THINKING, HITCHCOCK WOULD LIKE TO USE VISIT PRIMARILY AS

OPPORTUNITY TO BECOME BETTER ACQUAINTED WITH HOST COUNTRY CONCERNS AND PLANS AS THEY MAY RELATE TO CU PROGRAMS. HE WILL ALSO BE PREPARED TO TAKE UP POST/COMMISSION PROBLEMS OF TOO SPECIFIC A NATURE FOR CAREFUL DISCUSSION AT PENANG MEETING.

ACTION REQUESTED: WOULD APPRECIATE HOTEL RESERVATIONS AND NAME OF HOTEL BOOKED.

FOR TOKYO: HITCHCOCK PREPARED DISCUSS FRIENDSHIP FUND

WITH GOJ AND JAPAN FOUNDATION IF DESIRED. PREFERS OKURA HOTEL.

FOR KUALA LUMPUR: REALIZE POST WILL BE INVOLVED IN LAST MINUTE PREPARATION FOR CONFERENCE. IF POSSIBLE, WOULD APPRECIATE OPPORTUNITY MAKE A FEW COURTESY CALLS ON GOM OFFICIALS CONCERNED WITH EXCHANGES AND DISCUSS NEW PLANS OF MACEE WITH SOME OF BOARD MEMBERS.

FOR JAKARTA: WOULD APPRECIATE MEETING WITH BACHTIAR, PATSY LAYNE.

FOR CANBERRA AND WELLINGTON: WOULD BE MOST USEFUL IF FOUNDATIONS ABLE ARRANGE REGULAR MEETING AT THIS TIME. HITCHCOCK WOULD NOT NEED PARTICIPATE IN ENTIRE MEETING.

FOR SINGAPORE: HOPE VISIT UNIVERSITY OF SINGAPORE, MEET PROFESSOR OJAMAA.

FOR MANILA: WOULD APPRECIATE CHANCE TO VISIT UNIVERSITY OF PHILIPPINES, GAIN SOME UNDERSTANDING OF THEIR EXCHANGE PLANS AND NEEDS. WOULD REGULAR FOUNDATION MEETING BE POSSIBLE?

FOR BANGKOK: WILL BE PREPARED DISCUSS AMERICAN STUDIES PROJECT, WOULD LIKE TO VISIT CHULALONGKORN UNIVERSITY.

FOLLOWING IS HITCHCOCK ITINERARY:

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